IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of

Mamoru WATANABE et al.

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> RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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On May 8, 2001, the PTO issued a Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) ("Notification") advising that the application was filed without a declaration and providing a two-month period in which to submit the declaration and surcharge for late filing thereof.

In response to the PTO Notification, a duly signed declaration is submitted herewith together with a check in the sum of \$130.00 to cover the required surcharge for the late 06/06/2001 MNGUYEN 00000162 09806589

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filing of the declaration. Also submitted is a copy of the PTO Notification. Should the check prove insufficient for any reason, authorization is hereby given to charge any such deficiency to Deposit Account No. 01-0268.

It is respectfully requested that the processing of the application be completed, and that the filing receipt be issued in due course.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks, Washington, D.C

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May 29, 2001

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